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**For POLYPROPYLENE GRAFT COPOLYMER/  
FLUORINATED POLYOLEFIN BLENDS**

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## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Please extend by one (1) month the time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2003, to which a three month period for reply was set. Hence, an extension from June 26, 2003 to July 28, 2003 (July 26, 2003 being a Saturday and July 27, 2003 being a Sunday), courteously is requested.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 08-2336. For this reason, this Petition is submitted in duplicate. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-2336.

Respectfully submitted,

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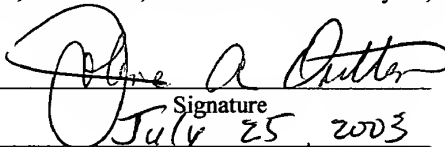
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